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1. AS NOTED REFTEL, THERE IS NO QUESTION OF ENDEAVORING TO
REACH AGREEMENT AT THIS SESSION ON BODY OF DRAFT CHARTER.
RATHER, APART FROM PREAMBLE, THERE WILL BE CATALOG OF VARIOUS
FORMULATIONS OF CERTAIN POINTS OF OUTLINE. USDEL IS MAINTAINING
ITS PROPOSALS EITHER IN TERMS OF US COMMENTS OR AS
THEY ARE MET BY COMMENTS OF OTHERS.

2. USDEL HAS TAKEN ACTIVE ROLE IN SEEKING ACCEPTABLE DRAFT
OF PREAMBLE. WE HAVE MADE CLEAR THAT OUR POSITIVE POSITION
ON TEXT BELOW IS WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO USG VIEWS TO BE RENDERED
ON EVENTUAL TEXT OF WHOLE DOCUMENT AT APPROPRIATE
LATER STAGE.

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3. PARTIAL TEXT OF PREAMBLE AS FORMULATED BY DRAFTING
COMMITTEE FOLLOWS:

QUOTE

III. REAFFIRMING THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES WHICH GOVERN
ECONOMIC AS WELL AS POLITICAL AND OTHER RELATIONS AMONG
STATES:

- (A) SOVEREIGNTY, TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND
POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE OF STATES;
- (B) NON-AGGRESSION;
- (C) NON-INTERVENTION;
- (D) (PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE);
- (E) EQUAL RIGHTS AND SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES;
- (F) SOVEREIGN EQUALITY OF ALL STATES;
- (G) PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES;
- (H) FULFILLMENT IN GOOD FAITH OF INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS;
- (I) ENCOURAGEMENT OF RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL
FREEDOMS;
- (J) PROMOTION OF INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL JUSTICE; AND
- (K) INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION FOR ECONOMIC AND
SOCIAL PROGRESS AND DEVELOPMENT OF ALL COUNTRIES, IN
PARTICULAR OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. UNQUOTE.

4. ONLY PHRASE OF FOREGOING THAT APPEARS NOT TO BE
GENERALLY ACCEPTABLE IS QTE (D) PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE UNQTE
SINCE FRENCH, ITALIAN AND BELGIAN DELS UNWILLING TO ACCEPT
IT. IN PLACE OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE, OBJECTORS PROPOSE
QTE RESOLVED TO PRACTICE TOLERANCE AND LIVE TOGETHER
IN PEACE IN A SPIRIT OF GOOD NEIGHBORLINESS UNQTE.

5. PARAS I AND II OF DRAFT PREAMBLE CABLED REFTTEL.
FOREGOING PARA III MAY WELL ALTERNATIVELY APPEAR AS
CHAPTER I OF BODY, IN WHICH CASE ITS INTRODUCTION WILL
READ: QTE THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPLES SHOULD (SHALL) GOVERN
ECONOMIC AS WELL AS POLITICAL AND OTHER RELATIONS AMONG
STATES UNQTE.

6. NEXT PARA OF PREAMBLE, TENTATIVELY NUMBERED IV,
PROVIDES: QTE
DESIROUS OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE CREATION OF CONDITIONS FOR:
-(CHINA: "THE REMOVAL OF THE MAIN OBSTACLES IN THE WAY OF
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THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, I.E.
ECONOMIC CONTROL AND PLUNDER BY IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM,
NEO-COLONIALISM AND BIG POWER HEGEMONISM"); OR
(U.S.A.: "DEALING EFFECTIVELY WITH DIFFICULTIES THAT
BESET THE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES");
-THE PROMOTION BY THE ENTIRE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY OF
ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRESS OF ALL COUNTRIES, ESPECIALLY
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES;

-ENCOURAGEMENT OF COOPERATION ON AN EQUITABLE BASIS IN
ECONOMIC, TRADE, SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL FIELDS
AMONG ALL COUNTRIES, IRRESPECTIVE OF DIFFERING ECONOMIC
AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS AND TAKING INTO ACCOUNT LEVELS AND
NEEDS OF DEVELOPMENT;
-THE ATTAINMENT OF WIDER PROSPERITY AMONG ALL COUNTRIES
AND OF HIGHER STANDARDS OF LIVING FOR ALL PEOPLES; AND
"THE ACCELERATION OF THE ECONOMIC GROWTH OF DEVELOPING
COUNTRIES WITH THE VIEW TO NARROWING THE ECONOMIC GAP
BETWEEN DEVELOPING AND DEVELOPED COUNTRIES (AND
(ELIMINATION OF THE CONSEQUENCES OF COLONIALISM).) UNQTE
USDEL HAS DECLINED TO ACCEPT CHINESE PROPOSAL AND SOVIET
PROPOSAL FOR ELIMINATION OF CONSEQUENCES OF COLONIALISM.

7. REMAINDER OF PREAMBLE, WHICH IN OUR VIEW ANODYNE,
FOLLOWS SEPTTEL.BASSIN

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